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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Dear Sir:

Applicant's attorney Justin Liu would like to thank the Examiner for the telephone interview on July 10, 2003. During this interview Examiner Hu confirmed an error was made in the Restriction Requirement mailed on July 1, 2003 pertaining to the listing of claims belonging in Invention II. Applicant's attorney confirmed with Examiner Hu that Invention II consists of Claims 1-27.

In response to the Restriction Requirement mailed from the Patent Office on July 1, 2003, Applicant provisionally elects to prosecute Invention II, consisting of Claims 1-27. In addition, Applicant further provisionally elects to prosecute linking claims 28 and 42 with the understanding that the restriction requirement is subject to the non-allowance of the linking claims 28 and 42. Applicant hereby withdraws Claims 29-41 and 43-51 (drawn to Invention I) from consideration. Upon the allowance of the linking claims, the restriction requirement shall be withdrawn, and any claims depending from, or otherwise including all of the limitations of, the allowable linking

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claims will be entitled to examination in the present application. Applicant further reserves the right to prosecute withdrawn claims in a subsequent divisional application.

Respectfully submitted,

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